REMARKS

I. Restriction Requirement

The Examiner restricted the claims of the application into two groups:

Group I: claims 1-32 and 37, drawn to a solid dosage form comprising pullulan and at

least one active agent; and

Group II: claims 33-36, drawn to a method of preparing a solid dosage form.

In response, Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-32 and 37, drawn to a solid dosage form comprising pullulan and at least one active agent, with traverse. Applicants traverse the Restriction Requirement on the grounds that the search and examination of the claims of Groups I and II do not present an undue burden to the examiner.

II. Conclusion

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 CFR §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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